# Headteacher's message

#### Dear Parents/Carers

It was lovely to see so many of you at our Parents' Evenings this week. I hope you found it informative. As always, if you have anything you wish to discuss with your child's class teacher, please do make arrangements through the school office to meet with them.

#### Year 5 Harvest Festival

I would like to thank all the Parents/Carers and children for their generous donations for our Harvest Festival. Year 5 Parents/Carers joined the children for a special assembly on Monday afternoon. Following the assembly, the Harvest Festival donations were taken to the Waterlooville Food Bank to benefit families in the local area.

# Sign up for the flu vaccinations

The School Age Immunisation Team will be in school on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November to administer the annual nasal flu vaccinations for children.

Please complete the on-line form (https://www.hampshirehealthyfamilies.org.uk/nasal-flu-vaccination-programme) to register your child for the vaccination. Please also use this form if you do not wish your child to receive the vaccination so that the Immunisation Team can update their records. Access to the form will close at 10am on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November.

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#### **Open Days for Year 2 Parents**

We will he holding our open days for Year 2 Parents/Carers on:

- Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November at 9.00am
- Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November at 2.30pm

If you know Parents/Carers of Year 2 children please let them know about these open days so that they can come and see Purbrook Junior School in action!

# **ASDA Cashpot for Schools**

We have signed up for the Cashpot for Schools being run by ASDA until 30<sup>th</sup> November. Here's how to help raise the school some money:

- 1. Download the ASDA Rewards app and opt-in to Cashpot for Schools
- 2. Choose Purbrook Junior School
- 3. Shop in store and scan your ASDA Rewards app at the checkout
- Shopping on-line? Simply log into ASDA.com using the same details as your Asda Rewards account

So far we have raised an amazing £539.11 (as at Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> October). How much more can we achieve by 30<sup>th</sup> November??

#### **Parental Consent**

I would like to remind you that if the school is seeking parental consent (either via ParentMail or on a paper letter, etc), please can you ensure that this is signed by an adult who legally has parental responsibility for the child. Thank you for your help with this.

### **Community Fundraising Event**

The Woodman pub, who have always been very supportive of Purbrook Junior School are holding a day of activities on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> October (2pm to 4pm). There will be a mini disco, balloon magician together with other activities. They are fundraising for Waterlooville Food Bank, a community defibrillator and collecting advent calendars for children who may miss out at Christmas. Please do pop along on Saturday and support this community event.

#### Found a scooter?

A black and gold scooter unfortunately disappeared from the school last weekend. If you know of its whereabouts, please call the school office. Thank you.

Mr C Williams Headteacher



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#### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY**

Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October – Year 4 trip to Southampton Art Gallery

Thursday 24<sup>th</sup> October – PJSA School Discos

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November – Half Term

Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> November – School Photographs

Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Year 3 Explorer Dome

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November – Year 5 trip to the Mary Rose

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November – Flu vaccinations

# **INSET DAYS**

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> November 24 Friday 6<sup>th</sup> December 24 Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 25 Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> June 25

# **HOUSE POINTS**

Check out the latest House Points total at:

http://www.purbrookjun.hants.sch.uk/schoolhouses/

